



**PUBLIC HEARING PROGRAMME**

**1st December 2009**

**Room ASP 5 G 3  
10.30 - 12.30 / 15.00 - 18.30**

**Green paper on the Reform of the Common Fisheries Policy**

**Opening and Introduction**

Opening by **Mrs. Carmen FRAGA ESTÉVEZ**, Chair of the Committee on Fisheries

Introduction by **Mrs. Maria do Céu PATRÃO NEVES**, rapporteur

Introduction by **Mr. Fokion FOTIADIS**, Director-general of DG MARE, European Commission

Introduction by **Mrs. Concepción SÁNCHEZ TRUJILLANO**, Deputy Director General, *Secretaria General del Mar*, Spain, for the incoming EU Council Presidency

Interventions:

**Mr. Guus PASTOOR**, Chairman of ACFA (*Advisory Committee on Fisheries and Aquaculture*) and AIPCE (*European Fish Processors Association*)

**Mr. Javier GARAT**, President of Europêche

**Mr. Giampaolo BUONFIGLIO**, President of COGECA Fisheries section

**Mr. Philippe ALFONSO**, Political Secretary for Fisheries at ETF (*European Transport Workers' Federation*)

Interventions by representatives of the Regional Advisory Councils (RAC):

**Mr. Hugo ANDERSSON**, Chairman of the North Sea RAC  
**Mr. Reine J. JOHANSSON**, Chairman of the Baltic Sea RAC  
**Mr. Lorcan O'CINNÉIDE**, North Western Waters RAC  
**Mr. António CABRAL**, Chairman of Long Distance Fleet RAC  
**Mr. Victor BADIOLA**, Chairman of South Western Waters RAC  
**Mr. Iain MacSWEEN**, Chairman of Pelagic RAC  
**Mr. Mourad KAHOUL**, Chairman of Mediterranean RAC (*tbc*)

*Discussion*

12:30

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15:00

Afternoon Session
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Interventions by sector representatives:

**Mr. Bertie ARMSTRONG**, Chief Executive, Scottish Fishermen's Federation  
**Mrs. Uta BELLION**, Coordinator of the OCEAN2012 NGO coalition  
**Mr. Antonio NAPOLI**, Mayor of Santa Flavia (Palermo) and representative of the Sicilian Marinerie  
**Mr. Sean O'DONOGHUE**, President of EAPO (*European Association of Fish Producers Organisations*) and Chairman of the Federation of Irish Fishermen (FIF)  
**Mr. Frederico PEREIRA**, Federação dos Sindicatos do Sector das Pescas (*Fisheries Trade Union Federation*), Portugal  
**Mr. Ettore IANÌ**, Chairman of Lega Pesca (Association of Italian Fishing Cooperatives)

*Discussion*

**Dr. Carlos COSTA MONTEIRO**, Director of IPIMAR, Portugal  
**Dr. Peter BRECKLING**, Secretary General of the German Fisheries Association (*Deutscher Fischerei-Verband e.V.*)  
**Mr. Jerzy SAFADER**, President of the Polish Association of Fish Processors (*Polskie Stowarzyszenie Przetwórców Ryb*)  
**Mr. Emilio LOURO**, Secretary General of the Fishermen's Association of Lira/Carnota (Galicia, Spain)  
**Mr. Brian O'RIORDAN**, Secretary of ICSF (*International Collective in Support of Fishworkers*) Belgium Office

*Discussion*

Conclusions and closure by **Mrs. Carmen FRAGA ESTEVEZ**, Chair of the Committee on Fisheries

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